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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Ali Jalali, Pierre Leray, and
Dominique Lacroix

Art Unit: Not Assigned

Application No.: 09/581,272

Examiner: Not Assigned

Date Received by PCT/PTO: June 7, 2000

Docket No.: 136.147

Customer No. 023907

For: *Method of Calculating the Fast Fourier Transform and the Inverse Fast
Fourier Transform*

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RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)

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Dear Sir/Madam:

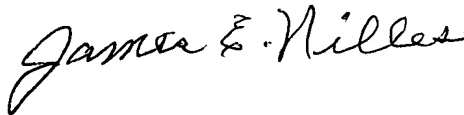
This is a request for reconsideration of the *Decision on Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(a)*, dated October 25, 2001.

Enclosed is a *Declaration and Statement of Facts by Christian Hamon in Re 37 CFR 1.47(a) and Section 409/03(d) MPEP*, which demonstrates that several *bona fide* attempts were made to present a copy of the application papers (specification, claims, drawings and oath or declaration) to Mr. Jalali at his last known address and Mr. Jalali has refused to execute the application.

Since Petitioner has shown that several letters have been sent to Mr. Jalali requesting his signature on the Declaration and Mr. Jalali has not answered any of the letters, it is respectfully requested that the Declaration signed by the two remaining inventors and filed on August 28, 2000 be accepted, and that an Office Action be issued in this application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 14-1080.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "James E. Nilles". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and registration number.

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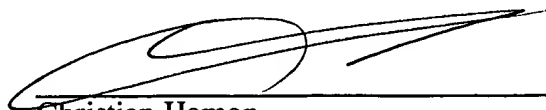
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*Declaration and Statement of Facts by Christian Hamon
in Re 37 CFR 1.47(a) and Section 409.03(d) MPEP*

I, Mr. Christian Hamon, having first-hand knowledge of the facts in this matter hereby state that two letters dated September 28, 2000 and February 1, 2001 enclosing a Declaration in each, and a letter dated June 26, 2001 enclosing a Declaration and a complete copy of the application papers in connection with the above-captioned patent application were sent to Mr. Jalali. I furthermore state that Mr. Jalali has not responded to any of the letters and has subsequently refused to execute the application.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 101 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Date: 7th November 2001



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